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In Re Application Of: Jacques Albert			
Serial No. 10/003,525	Filing Date 12/06/2001	Examiner. Sarah U. Song	Group Art Unit 2874
Title: ADJUSTABLE TEMPERATURE COMPENSATING PACKAGE FOR OPTICAL FIBER DEVICES			
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>Transmitted herewith is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Response to Official Action dated March 13, 2003</li><li>- Petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)</li><li>- Check in the amount of \$930.00</li></ul> <p>In the above identified application.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the Amount of \$930.00 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 13-1717 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charge the amount of</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee required.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"><div style="text-align: center;"> Signature</div><div>Dated: 09/12/2003</div></div> <div style="margin-top: 20px;"><p>Richard J. Mitchell 34,519</p><p>Marks &amp; Clerk Canada P.O. Box 957 Station B Ottawa, ON, K1P 5S7 Phone: (613) 236-9561</p><div style="text-align: center;"> * 2 3 5 5 3 *</div></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 20px;"><p>I certify that this document and fee being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.</p><p>_____ Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</p><p>_____ Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</p></div>			

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Sir:

A request for an extension of time of three months to respond to the office Action is submitted herewith.

A continuation application is being filed on even date under separate cover.

Respectfully submitted,

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